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CONNELLVILLE, PA., MONDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 29, 1924.

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**SNOW OR RAIN TO FOLLOW QUICKLY ON FRIGID WEATHER**

Warmer, With Increasing Cloudiness, Promised by Forecaster for Tonight.

**LOW MARK ABOVE ZERO**

In Mountain Sections Thermometers Drop to Lowest of the Season. With Eight Below in Indian Creek Valley Heavy Toll Taken in Chicago.

The coldest weather of the season—the coldest in December for many years—is scheduled to leave as suddenly as it came. According to the noon forecast of the Weather Bureau increasing cloudiness and warmer to-night will be followed by snow or rain Tuesday. A United Press dispatch indicates that already the cold has been dissipated in the Middle West where on Sunday 12 to 20 degrees below zero was reported.

The official thermometer in the city registered three degrees as the coldest point recorded during the night. Saturday night the low mark was eight degrees.

At Indian Head and Jones Mills the mercury took a high dive and eight degrees below zero was recorded this morning. The same figure prevailed throughout the Indian Creek Valley.

Reports received this morning from Rockwood and Sand Patch indicated very low temperatures. At 5 A. M. the figure at Rockwood was six degrees below zero. At Sand Patch it was four above. This morning at 5 o'clock the same places showed temperatures of two below and two above respectively.

The air last night was unusually frosty. The snow crunched underfoot and pedestrians could feel the biting air in their nostrils.

At Okopys it was zero on Sunday morning. The same informant reports six degrees below at that place on Friday morning.

The lower Yough Valley experienced zero weather over the weekend. The lowest point reported was Saturday night when above was registered at the Youghiogheny bridge crossing the river at Dawson. The lowest point at Vanderbilt was five above, at the same time. This morning both towns reported a temperature of 15 above.

Perryopolis reported zero last night but this morning at 11 o'clock the mercury had risen to 11 above while Dunbar's temperature was at 10 above at 6 o'clock, said Rev. O. W. Bolton.

By United Press.  
CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—With six deaths and huge property damage as its toll, the latest sub-zero weather was dispelled today.

Six persons, including an 80-year-old woman, died here over the weekend as the direct result of the frigid blast. Scores were taken to hospitals suffering from injuries and thermometers dropped to 12 below in the city and 20 below in suburbs.

Chicago's fire department answered 23 alarms in less than 24 hours, most of the blazes being caused by overheated stoves and furnaces. Several firemen were injured and the property loss by fire alone mounted into hundreds of thousands of dollars.

Two men were shot and wounded by an enraged janitor when they demanded more heat in their apartment.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 29.—The cold wave gripping Philadelphia resulted in one death, scores of accidents and more than a dozen fires over the week-end. Harry Naylor, 32, World War veteran, was found frozen to death a few feet from his home Sunday. Police believe the man was struck by an automobile and left lying on the street to die.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—One man was frozen to death, scores were suffering from exposure and institutions of refuge were crowded with homeless persons as the city shivered in one of the coldest December mornings on record today. Yesterday was the third coldest December day New York City has experienced in half a century. Threatened snow weather did not develop but the thermometers dropped as low as 12 above and stood at 15 above at 7 A. M. today. Temperatures as low as 25 below were registered in the Adirondacks.

**Revival Opens Jan. 18 At Dunbar M. P. Church**

Evangelistic services will be held at the Dunbar Methodist Protestant Church during the week of January 18. Rev. O. W. Bolton, pastor of the church, will be in charge. He will announce the leader of the singing later.

Prior to the revival cottage prayer-meetings will be held for one week.

**Eight Hundred Chinese Soldiers Face Firing Squads**

By United Press.  
LONDON, Dec. 29.—Eight hundred Chinese soldiers who participated in the recent rioting at Kaigau were lined up along the railroad tracks and executed, according to a Central News dispatch.

The troops mutinied as a result of not receiving their pay and, burned part of Kaigau, looting banks and shops. They were promised their pay if they returned to their barracks.

**PAGEANT BRINGS \$181 INTO FUND OF HOSPITAL AUXILIARY**

The Christmas pageant, "White Gifts for the King," was presented for the second time Sunday night in the First Presbyterian Church and was witnessed by a congregation filling the church to capacity. A silver offering was taken, the proceeds to be for the Woman's Auxiliary to the Connellsville Hospital Association, and \$181.07 was realized. An additional \$5 given by the congregation of Mount Zion Baptist Church, West Side, was reported by Mrs. R. D. Epps, wife of the pastor, and a vice-president of the auxiliary, representing her church, making a total of \$186.07.

The pageant was one of the finest ever presented in Connellsville and was given for the first time on Sunday evening, December 21, the proceeds being for Near East Relief. Mrs. Fred Frisbee had charge of the music, while William Thomas, assisted by Miss Ada Edwards, Mrs. N. M. Dobbin, Mrs. M. J. Cummings and Mrs. William Thomas, was at the head of the cantata. The decorations were appropriate to the occasion and were especially beautiful.

The Presbyterian Church was the first to establish a fund for the hospital auxiliary and was very successful in its efforts. Mrs. Fred Frisbee, president of the auxiliary, is very enthusiastic over the generous contribution. She greatly appreciates the untiring work of those in charge of the cantata, and also that of the cast and is very grateful to all who attended and contributed toward the offering.

**JURY IN MCCOY CASE IN FOURTH DAY OF DEBATE**

Special to The Courier.  
LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 29.—Jury started their fourth day of deliberation over the fate of "Kid" McCoy, charged with murdering Mrs. Teresa Morris, at 9:10 A. M. today. The nine women and three men on the jury appeared refreshed after a long night's sleep.

Judge Charles Crall, in whose court McCoy was tried, proceeded with the regular Monday morning court calendar, while the jury in another room continued to debate.

**Blake, Evangelist; Shearer, Singer, at Dunbar Services**

Evangelistic meetings began in the First Baptist Church, Dunbar, Sunday evening, the preaching being done by Rev. A. A. Blake with H. D. Shearer as song leader. Rev. Blake is moderator of the Monongahela Baptist Association, composed of some 30 churches, and is a member of the local or associational missionary board. He is strong along evangelistic lines and is holding a series of meetings in various churches of the association.

This season he has held meetings at Flatwoods, Star Junction and Dawson. After closing at Dunbar, he will go to Confluence. He is a good, sincere gospel preacher. Those who hear him cannot but be benefited. Mr. Shearer is well known in this section as an enthusiastic singer and good leader.

**Half of 12,000 Striking Miners Return to Work**

By United Press.  
SCRANTON, Pa., Dec. 29.—One half of the 12,000 strikers at the Underwood mine of the Pennsylvania Coal Company went to work this morning. The other half remained loyal to the cause of the alleged insurgent movement.

Fears that trouble would result at the Underwood mine due to the action of the strikers resuming work were not fulfilled. Troopers and deputies from the sheriff's office were at the mine, but barring a little picketing there was no interference.

Forney Charged to Jackson, MILWAUKEE, Wis., Dec. 29.—"Shoeless" Joe Jackson, former member of the Chicago White Sox baseball team, was today named in a warrant charging perjury in connection with his testimony in a suit against Charles Comiskey, White Sox owner, for back pay and bonus.

**CONGRESS BACK AT WORK AFTER HOLIDAY RECESS**

Senate to Lay Off Postal and Shovel Fight for Week Under Agreement.

**UNDERWOOD BILL LOSING**

General Belief Among Leaders Jones Bill for Commission to Handle National Power Project Will Be Adopted; House Takes Up Finance.

By United Press.  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—Congress came back from its Christmas holiday today but under a gentlemen's agreement no business will be transacted this week if it can be avoided. The fight over Muscle Shoals and postal rates will go over until Monday.

The House plans to go at once into the appropriation measures that are awaiting action. The Senate may spend a few days considering minor bills on the calendar before adjourning for New Year.

The situation after the week's rest is little changed. Those in the Senate who are championing the Coolidge plan of paying a \$88,000,000 raise in salaries to postal employees by increasing postal rates are preparing to conclude their committee hearings and report the bill to the Senate. This will be done before the end of the week. The plan of publishers to postpone action upon the Administration's bill has been rejected.

The drift away from the Underwood Muscle Shoals bill still is apparent and Republican leaders believe it will be defeated and the Jones plan of referring the Shoals problem to a commission adopted. While Muscle Shoals is still the unfinished business before the Senate, the postal pay fight will be brought to the floor next week under an agreement already reached.

The Senate has not yet taken up any of the three appropriation bills already passed by the House and no effort to consider them will be made until the present legislative jam is cleared. Senator Warren of Wyoming, Republican, who has charge of the measure, said:

With debate cut to the minimum to expedite its passage, the House today was scheduled to consider the treasury and postoffice appropriation bills. The army supply bill is expected to be reported Wednesday or Thursday and leaders hope to send both measures to the Senate before the end of the week.

**U. S. Will Insist On Full Payment Of French Debt**

By United Press.  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—The United States government will insist on full payment of the French debt on easy terms, a leading member of the Debt Funding Commission said today in expressing surprise over the omission of the debt from the French budget and the statement of Finance Minister Clementel that Allied debts must be pooled and repaid.

On the basis of repeated assurances from France that she recognizes the legality and equity of the debt and will pay in full, this Administration spokesman was reluctant to accept the reported Clementel statement as the real French policy.

**Pinchot Labels Bluett "Wet"**

HARRISBURG, Dec. 29.—Governor Pinchot issued a challenge to the leadership of the conservation movement by labeling a leading conservationist, Bluett, as "wet" and "unreliable." The Governor pointed out the retirement of Bluett from the conservation movement and his support of former Speaker Goodenough for re-election.

Reiterating his charge that Bluett is the "wet candidate and a rubber stamp for Vane," the Governor predicted the retirement of Bluett from the conservation movement and his support of former Speaker Goodenough for re-election.

**CHILD BURNS TO DEATH BEFORE AN OPEN GAS STOVE**

Special to The Courier.  
MOUNT PLEASANT, Dec. 29.—Carmela Covone, six years old, daughter of Mrs. Antonietta Covone, died at 6:40 o'clock this morning at the Memorial Hospital as the result of burns sustained when her clothes caught fire from an open gas stove at 5:30 o'clock last evening. The mother, 26 years old, was severely burned about the hands trying to save the child. She was treated at the hospital being discharged this morning after the child died.

The body was taken to the home.

**Urges Annulment of Childless Marriages.**

Richard Hiles of Dawson and his brother, George, of Erie Hill, were fatally injured Saturday evening when the automobile in which they were riding plunged over a 25-foot embankment at Liberty, just at the end of the Vanderbilt thoroughfare. The car left the road as it was rounding a sharp curve opposite the residence of O. S. O'Brien. It leaped over the bank onto the tracks of the West Penn Railway Company.

Both died in the Connellsville State Hospital. Richard passed away at 8:45 o'clock in the evening and the end came to his brother at midnight. They had received fractures of the skull.

The men were discovered immediately after the accident in an unconscious state. They were removed to the hospital by Malt Carrier J. C. Healy of Vanderbilt.

What caused the car to leave the road is puzzling many. At first it was believed that the car skidded on the icy road, but this theory was abandoned when authorities failed to find any signs of skidding. This investigation was made a few minutes after the accident. The prints of the wheels showed a straight line from the extreme right of the road, about 110 feet above the place of the accident, to the place where the car plunged over.

The automobile was a touring sport model and was but recently purchased by Richard, who was driving it. It had been driven but 348 miles. The car turned twice as it leaped over the cliff and plunged its occupants underneath. The top of the car was demolished but the bottom, engine and floor were intact. When righted, the machine was driven to the W. J. Reed garage at Vanderbilt by its own power.

So far as known, there was no eyewitness of the accident.

The brothers had left Dawson and were going to Erie Hill when the accident occurred.

George was employed as a miner at that place. The other victim was an employee of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad at Dickerson Run, serving in the capacity of extra conductor and brakeman.

Since the tragedy complaints are heard about the lack of barriers along the road at the sharp curve. Had a stone wall or wire rope been erected it is held to be possible that the brothers would not have been killed. All that remained to barricade was a single board, about one inch thick, with old poles to hold it up.

Richard is survived by his wife, who was Miss Goldie Dorn, and five children. Brunetta, 11; Donald, 11; Robert, 9; Ruby, four and Betty 18 months. One sister survives. George was unmarried.

The bodies were removed by Funeral Director W. H. Parkhill of Dawson to his funeral establishment and taken to the home of Richard where a double funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon. The service will be at 2 o'clock. The brothers will be laid to rest, side by side, in Cochran Cemetery, near Dawson.

**Local Conductor Injured in Wreck**

C. W. Vauersdale, 50, a Baltimore & Ohio freight conductor was admitted to the Connellsville State Hospital suffering from injuries received Saturday night when two freight trains were wrecked in a rear-end collision at Layton. John Dugan, a layman, also suffered injuries.

Traffic was tied up for a time. The men were brought here on Train No. 15, which was run back to this place when unable to get through because of the spill.

**JENNIE VANCE RETURNS.**

Back at Post in Rosenbaum Store After Long Time in Pittsburgh.

Miss Jennie Vance of East Cedar avenue, who underwent an operation in October at Mercy Hospital, Pittsburgh, and who has been at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gilliland of Delleville, since being discharged from the hospital, returned home Saturday, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Fannie B. Vance. She returned this morning to Rosenbaum's store, where she is a saleswoman in the ladies' ready-to-wear department.

**Pittsburg Bridges Opened.**

PITTSBURG, Dec. 29.—Two new bridges, the Washington Crossing Memorial bridge, connecting Lake Erie, Pa., and Millville, and the Jackson bridge connecting Pittsburg and Delleville, were opened to the public today. Both new spans were provided for in the people's bond issue of more than \$2,000,000 which was approved by the voters at the last primary election.

Charles Postoffice Robbed.

CLARION, Dec. 29.—The postoffice safe here was dynamited some time yesterday and lost estimated at \$300 was taken.

**The Weather**

Increasing cloudiness and warmer tonight, Tuesday unsettled and warmer; probably snow or rain in the noon hours, forecast for Western Pennsylvania.

Temperature Record.  
1921-1923  
Maximum — 31 11  
Minimum — 14 12  
Mean — 19 13

**HILES BROTHERS DIE AFTER AUTO GOES OVER BANK**

Tragedy on Outskirts of Vanderbilt Cause of Speculation.

**NO SIGN OF SKIDDING**

Dawson Man and Brother on Way to Erie Hill Saturday Evening When Fatal Accident Befalls Them; Place Is Not Well Protected.

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**W. F. Smith Manager Of Tower Hill Store**

W. F. Smith, formerly manager of the Maple Supply Company's store at Warner, Pa., has been made manager of the store of the Tower Hill Coal and Coke Company at Tower Hill No. 2, succeeding William Arison, who was transferred to Jerome, Somerset county, to assume management of the store of the Hillman Coal & Coke Company.

Mr. Smith is a son of Mrs. Mary T. Smith of Johnston avenue. He is succeeded at Warner by his brother-in-law, George Hensel of Westland.

**Safe Breakers Make Hack.**

PITTSBURG, Dec. 29.—Safe crackers blew the safe of the Tipitz-Sulzner store at Carlisle last night, making away with \$5,000 worth of merchandise and \$1,500 in cash.

**VALLEY GIRL'S CLOTHES IGNITE AT GRATE FIRE**

Special to The Courier.  
MOUNT PLEASANT, Dec. 29.—Miss Martha Smith, 17 years old, daughter of William Smith of Valley, was severely burned when her clothes caught fire at an open grate.

She was burned over almost the entire body and no hope is held for her recovery. She is at the Memorial Hospital.

Undergoes Operation.

Albert Lowe underwent a throat operation at the Connellsville State Hospital this morning.

**Silesian Farmer Kills and Eats 15 Persons, Charge**

By United Press.  
BERLIN, Dec. 29.—Karl Donke, a Silesian farmer, is believed to have killed and eaten 15 persons at his lonely farm near Munsterberg. The acts of the victims was used to fashion suspenders and ties. Police have been making one gruesome discovery after another since Donke's suicide on Christmas Eve.

**GRAND JURY PROBE INTO MILLIONAIRE BOY'S DEATH ASKED**

By United Press.  
CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—A grand jury investigation of the death of William McCintock, millionaire orphan, will be demanded even though the chemical analysis of the vital organs fails to reveal evidences of poison. It was declared at the state's attorney's office today. So far the examination has failed to reveal anything unusual. Typhoid germs were found, but typhoid fever was given as the cause of death by the attending physician.

Assistant State's Attorney Gorman said he is prepared to ask the grand jury to investigate regardless of the findings of the city chemist.

In the meantime William B. Shepherd, foster-father of McCintock, is back at his home here awaiting the call of the state's attorney. Shepherd and his wife were bequeathed the bulk of the \$2,000,000 fortune by McCintock.

**"SON OF GOD" CREATES STIR IN CATHEDRAL**

By United Press.  
NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—While the pastor was in the midst of his sermon yesterday high mass at St. Patrick's Cathedral was interrupted by a man who crawled under the sanctuary rail and hurled what was first thought to be a bomb at the altar. Several members of the congregation rushed from the exits, but the Rev. Ryan J. McEntagart restored order and went on with his sermon.

The "bomb" was later found to be a package containing paper on which was written "I am the Son of God." The disturber, Hugh Robinson, 43, was arrested on a charge of disorderly conduct.

**Boy Shoots Self To Reconcile His Father and Mother**

By United Press.  
CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—Ray Johnson, a 17-year-old boy has reconciled his father and mother, tearfully at least, although it may cost him his life.

Young Johnson fretted because his parents were almost continuously fighting. He didn't mind so much for himself, he said, but three younger children were suffering because his father didn't work.

And so Ray shot himself in the hope that grief for his death would bring his father and mother together. It did. His father today is looking for a job and has promised to stop drinking. His mother vowed to be more lenient with her husband but physicians at the hospital said it was doubtful whether Ray would recover to enjoy the reconciliation.

**United Man Hurt When Skidding Car Runs Him Down**

Special to The Courier.  
MOUNT PLEASANT, Dec. 29.—Henry Greenberger, 32 years old, of United was admitted to the Memorial Hospital Sunday afternoon, suffering from injuries to his scalp and contusions of the left leg. He was struck by an automobile on the hill near Culmott Sunday afternoon.

The car was driven by Asa Fibha. It skidded when Fibha applied the brakes to avoid hitting Greenberger.

**U. of P. Eleven Gets Reception in Chicago**

A card received today from Claude Florio, Pennsylvania quartermaster, who has recovered from a wound received when he was pinned on a picket fence while making a catch of a punt, and who is on his way to California with the undefeated football team, tells of a wonderful reception by the Penn alumni in Chicago. The train arrived there three hours late, he wrote.

The next stop scheduled was Omaha. "But you money on Penn," he added.

**Band Will Name Officers Tuesday**

The Connellsville Military Band will meet at headquarters at City Hall on Tuesday evening to rehearse and elect officers.

The time will be 8 o'clock.

**Many Turn Out for Repeated Cantata**

A large audience witnessed the repeated presentation of the Christmas cantata at the Dunbar Methodist Protestant Church last evening. It was as large as that which witnessed the first. Due to the illness of one member in the cast, several substitutions were made, but they filled in well. The Sunday school orchestra gave a 20-minute musical program, preceding the cantata. "Under the Holly" was the specially prepared number.

The community Christmas tree was erected and taken care of by the committees from the various churches. Thursday night choir sang Christmas carols. Treats were given. The attendance was limited due to the cold weather.

**FRANCE MAKING NO MOVE TO PAY WAR DEBT TO U. S.**

In Fact Has No Serious Intention in That Direction in Near Future.

**WANTS IT SCALED DOWN**

Because of Her Sacrifice and the Fact that the United States Did Not Get Into the Conflict Until Near the End Causing Annoyance.

By DAVID LAWRENCE  
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WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—France has no serious intention of paying America in the immediate future anything on war debts.

This fact more than anything else is responsible for the series of misapprehensions and misunderstandings which diplomacy is trying to iron out as between the French government and Washington.

Ambassador Julerand, who is retiring soon with the best record of friendship and personal popularity that any envoy has enjoyed in a generation, naturally wanted to do something before he left to clear up the only unsettled problem between France and the United States. The Herriot government in Paris also realized that it was a long time since France had sent M. Parmentier to discuss the question of debts and that the United States could play the part of a pressing bill collector.

Congress had become restive, too, and the French government decided that discussion was at least a sign of good intent.

M. Julerand took up the question with the War Debt Commission created by Congress and expressed to that body in recent conferences substantially the same view which he expounded in a speech last week.

The White House was asked by the French ambassador for a communiqué on that speech and it was pointed out that there could be comment only on what was said to the Funding Commission after that organization had taken up the matter in due course. The newspaper men drew the inference that a rebuke was being given the French ambassador for talking in public speeches instead of making an argument to the Funding Commission.

And when the press reports gave the impression of a rebuke, the White House disclaimed any intention. Indeed, it was discovered that the French ambassador had been saying the same things to the Funding Commission, but whether the report of his conversations had been made to the President by last Tuesday when the stories of a rebuke were published, is not yet clear.

The point, however, is immaterial because the President had no intention of issuing a rebuke to anyone and the French ambassador is not being criticized here for what is known to be the policy of his government.

The incident has simply accounted for the fact that France wants a moratorium and hopes later to make even better terms with the United States than Great Britain did. The American government is embarrassed by the apparent unwillingness of France to pay anything right away and also by the knowledge that if any terms are granted to France, Great Britain will promptly ask for a revision of the agreement she has with the United States.

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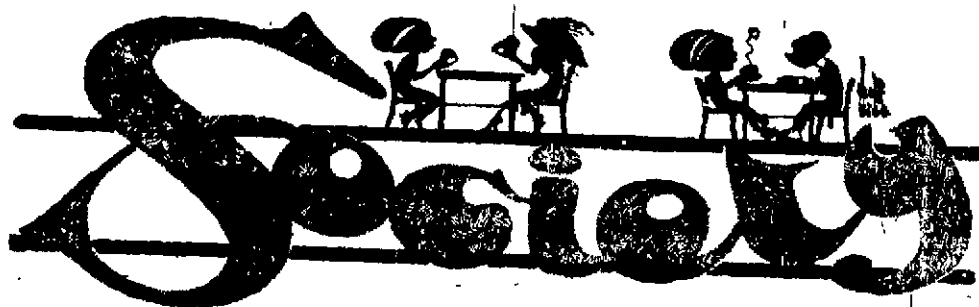
**Mayor Helps Tippler To Keep Resolution**

Two drunks were given hearings in police court this morning and the maximum sentence was dishied out.

One who walked into the police station yesterday, announcing he had violated the Volstead Act, adding that he intended to make a New Year resolution to quit drinking for a year, was given a road start by the mayor. He got 30 days in jail, in which it is certain he cannot imbibe but by the time his sentence is ended it is believed he will be able to fully judge the merits of the resolution.

**Fumes of Garage Fatal.**

PITTSBURG, Dec. 29.—While working in a Northside garage early today, Frank Maturi was killed by carbon monoxide poisoning and his brother, Clemons Maturi, was overcome in attempting to rescue him.



**MISS ELEANOR RUSH IS BRIDE OF H. W. HOOK**  
 Mrs. Eleanor Rush of North Pittsburgh street announces the marriage of her daughter, Miss Eleanor Rush, and Ralph W. Hook of Philadelphia, eldest son of Robert H. Hook of Uniontown. The ceremony was solemnized Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock in the presence of the immediate family at the church with Rev. Father Henry Gabel, the church pastor, officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Hook will leave Saturday night for Philadelphia, where the former is office manager for G. L. Miller and Company, securities house, to reside. They will be at home at 3211 Walnut street.

**Celebrate Wedding Anniversary.**  
 Mr. and Mrs. Ike Rosenbaum celebrated last night at their home in Wilson avenue, Uniontown, in honor of the tenth anniversary of their marriage. Two tables were called into play for bridge and a similar number of mah jong. Prizes were won by Julian F. Rosenbaum, J. R. Rosenbaum, Mrs. L. H. Hirsch and Mrs. Isadore Morris, the last named of Cleveland, Ohio. A well appointed buffet luncheon was served. The place cards were adorned with hearts, under which a ten cent piece was concealed, and miniature girls. Out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Julian F. Rosenbaum of Willis road, Mr. and Mrs. Rosenbaum will go to Uniontown tomorrow night to attend a dinner to be given by the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Rosenbaum in honor of the thirty-third anniversary of their marriage. Covers for about twenty-eight will be laid. Following the dinner a theatre party will be held at the State Theatre, where Pavlova will be the attraction.

**Will Entertain Club.**  
 Miss Frances Leichter will entertain the Aldine Club tonight at the home of Miss Hortense Graft in Orchard avenue.

**S. S. Elects Officers.**  
 C. V. Snider was elected superintendent of the First Methodist Protestant Sunday School, succeeding J. W. Boyd, at a meeting yesterday morning. Other officers were elected as follows: Assistant superintendent, John Yard, secretary and treasurer, Mrs. John Yard, librarian, Miss Esther Holt, superintendent of the Cadet roll, Mrs. J. O. Miller; of home department, Miss Jennie Holt; of temperance, George Swallow; chorister, William Griffiths; pianist, Mildred Snider.

**United Brethren Meetings.**  
 Official Board will meet Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

**Royal Circle Class will meet** Tuesday evening following prayer services.

**The Woman's Aid Society will meet** Wednesday evening following prayer service.

**The Women's Missionary Society will meet** Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. O. O. Osterweil.

**Civic League to Meet.**  
 The monthly meeting of the Civic League will be held Tuesday evening, January 6 at which time officers for the ensuing year will be elected.

**Golden Wedding Anniversary.**  
 Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Matthews of Somerset will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary Thursday afternoon, January 1, at 4 o'clock at the Somerset House. Mr. Matthews is the parish officer of the Somerset county courts.

**C. B. of A. to Meet.**  
 The Calthio Daughters of America will meet Tuesday night at 8 o'clock in the social room of the Immaculate Conception Church, it being a postponed meeting from December 26.

**Silver Thimble Club.**  
 The Silver Thimble Club will be entertained Thursday afternoon, January 1, at the home of Mrs. C. M. Lysinger of Market street.



### Get rid of that annoying rash

THERE is no need of enduring the itching, burning, stinging, or any other annoying skin trouble. Resinol gives such quick relief and in many cases clears the trouble away in a few days. This gentle but powerful cleanser sinks deep into the pores and attacks the root of the trouble, soothing the skin back to normal. Resinol Soap is a ready aid in treating skin troubles, but it is especially recommended as a toilet and bath soap for general use. Ask your druggist for the Resinol products.

**RESINOL**

### Daily Fashion Hint



**THE HIGH WAISTLINE**  
 is but one feature of this style from that has come to join the festivities of the holiday season. The other feature is the dainty and of the skirt that gives so pleasing and youthful a silhouette. Little shirtings on the shoulders make sure that there is no sleeve at all and also give fullness to the bodice. A very wide band of gold brocade ribbon introduces the two deep dounces of richness. Frock is black satin.

### ROY L. R. EXLINE WEDS OHIO GIRL

Announcements have been received here of the marriage of Miss Kathryn Ida Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl C. Davis of Marietta, Ohio, and Lyman Roy Exline of Columbus, Ohio, formerly of Cornville. The ceremony was solemnized Saturday, December 27, in Marietta, Ohio. The bridegroom was at one time employed at Kohakota store in Connelville and is with the same firm in Columbus, Ohio. He has many friends here. Mr. and Mrs. Exline will be at home at 1501 North Fourth street, Columbus, Ohio, after January 12.

### Philatelic Class to Meet

The regular meeting of the Philatelic Class of the First Baptist Church will be held Thursday night at the home of Misses Grace and Rachel Montgomery in West Fayette street.

### Weaver-Sanders

Announcement is made of the wedding of Miss Verna Weaver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Weaver of Scottsdale, and George Sanders of Warren, Ohio, at the Weaver home on Christmas day. Rev. Elmer E. Williams, pastor of the Baptist Church at Scottsdale, performed the rite ceremony. Following the wedding a dinner was served to the immediate members of both families.

### Keenan-Rockwell

Miss Ruth Keenan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Keenan of Pittsburgh, and Lindsay Rockwell of Uniontown were quietly married Friday, December 26, at the home of the bride.

### Reunion and Dance

The annual reunion and dance of the Uniontown High School Alumni will be held tonight at Gallatin Gardens. A number of out of town guests are expected to attend.

### Maquerade Dance

The annual masquerade dance of the Uniontown Country Club will be held tonight.

### Baroness to Entertain

The Baroness Class of the First Baptist Church will be entertained by the Philatelic Class this evening at 8 o'clock in the church parlors. A musical program, arranged by Miss Sarah M. Williams will be a feature of the evening, followed by a gift exchange and games. A luncheon prepared by the Philatelic Girls will be served.

### I. H. N. Class

The I. H. N. Class of the First Methodist Episcopal Church will meet Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. W. R. Clasper in the Colonial Apartments, South Pittsburgh street. The ingathering of things will take place.

### Ten Dance

Mrs. Wallace Hurst Rowe gave a tea dance at her home in Morewood avenue, Pittsburgh, in honor of her daughter, Miss Eleanor Hurst Rowe, who attends Mount Vernon Seminary.

### M. F. Missionary Meeting

The regular meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church will be held Thursday at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. R. Clasper, Colonial Apartments. The committee is composed of Mrs. J. T. Englella, Mrs. J. S. Detweiler and Mrs. S. B. Edmunds.

**MISS ADELAIDE SARAH GEORGE ENGAGED TO D. C. SPRINGER**  
 The engagement of Miss Adelaide Sarah George, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William George of Houdersville, to Daniel C. Springer, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel C. Springer of Houdersville, W. Va., formerly of Connelville, was announced at a reception given Friday evening, December 26, in the home of the parents of the bride-elect. The engagement is of much interest in Connelville, where Miss George and her fiancé have a wide circle of friends. It will terminate in a January wedding.

**Will Install Officers.**  
 John Irwin, county president of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, will install officers of the Uniontown branch for the ensuing year at a meeting to be held on January 25. A program and social session will feature the meeting.

**Magis Sister Officers.**  
 Magis Sister Council No. 101 of the Daughters of America met Saturday evening in Odd Fellows Temple, at which time the following officers were elected: Councillor, Estella Bloom; associate, Lillian Frutkay; vice-councillor, Agnes Younklin; associate vice-councillor, Jessie Lint; assistant recording secretary, Joannette Shilling; conductor, Nellie Enslin; warren, Irene Baker; inside sentinel, Alice Barhart; outside sentinel, Clara Swift; trustee, Carrie Blinn.

**Epworth League Cabinet.**  
 The Epworth League Cabinet of the First Methodist Episcopal Church will meet this evening at the home of Miss Catherine Francis, Carnegie avenue.

### League Social Meeting

The regular business and social meeting of the Epworth League will be held Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Bertha Cunningham, 214 East Apple street.

### Unity Fraternity Meets

At a special meeting of the Unity Fraternity, held yesterday afternoon, officers were elected: J. Donald Ebberts is president; Walter P. Morton, vice-president; Charles Russell, secretary; and James M. Driscoll, treasurer. Four trustees were also elected. They are: Henry Opperman, Edward Hengel, William Schmitz and Paul Shank. A few special matters were discussed and the next meeting will be Monday, January 5.

### Scottsdale Girl to Wed.

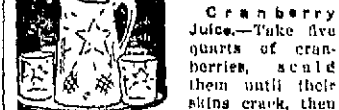
Miss Mary Carver of Scottsdale and Stanley Kantha of Greensburg were licensed to wed in Greensburg.



(By 1924, Western Newspaper Union)  
 I know not in what mood I have wrought,  
 Nor whether what I fashion will be thought  
 Beyond the shade that hides forgotten thought  
 But if it is of gold it will not rust,  
 And when the time is ripe it will be thrust  
 Into the sun, and glitter through  
 its dust.  
 —Eugene Lee Hamilton

### GOOD THINGS IN SEASON

A drink which will keep and may be used in hot weather can be prepared now from cranberries.



**Cranberry Juice.**—Take five quarts of cranberries, scald them until the skins crack, then strain through a fine cloth. Make a syrup of two pounds of sugar and one quart of water, then mix all together to make four quarts. Bottle and seal and when used, fill the glass with crushed ice and pour in the juice to fill the glass. **Pineapple Cake Dessert.**—In an iron spider put one cupful of brown sugar and one-half cupful of butter. When melted lay in as many slices of pineapple as the spider will hold and cook gently for ten minutes, then pour over the following mixture: Cream one-fourth of a cupful of butter, and one cupful of sugar, two eggs, yolks and whites beaten separately, one and one-half cupfuls of flour, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one-half cupful of milk and one teaspoonful of vanilla. Cook on top of the stove for one minute, then put into a hot oven for forty minutes. Turn out on a platter, cool and serve with whipped cream.

**Carrot Marmalade.**—Wash and scrape enough carrots when put through the meat chopper to make three cupfuls. Peel or steam until tender. Wash and peel two oranges, putting the peeling from one orange through the meat grinder and cutting the other in fine strips. Place these in water and boil until tender. To this hot carrots add four cupfuls of sugar, the juice of three lemons and orange pulp cut into bits, one cupful of water, using the water in which the orange peel was cooked. Cook all together until the syrup is thick and the fruit is clear. Three slices of pineapple may be added in place of the orange, making a different flavored marmalade.

—Nellie Maxwell

## PIMPLES



### How to get rid of them.

**WHY ENVY** a clear, lovable complexion? Why wish and hope? It is within your reach! There is always one quick and sure way to make your complexion free from all eruptions, pimples, blackheads, boils and that impossible mudiness. That is by building up your red-blood-cells. S.S.S. will do it for you! Because S.S.S. does build red-blood-cells, it cleanses the system and makes those so-called skin disorders impossible to exist. S.S.S. contains only pure vegetable medicinal ingredients. It is also a remarkable builder of firm flesh, which is also important to beauty. It will fill out your hollow cheeks, put the "zuby" of health in your cheeks and the sparkle in your eyes. Since S.S.S. has been beautifying complexions and giving women physical charm, this is why S.S.S. is accepted as the greatest of all blood cleansers and body builders. Begin taking S.S.S. today and give yourself what you have been looking for, for years.

S.S.S. is sold at all good drug stores in two sizes. The larger size is more economical.

**S.S.S. The World's Best Blood Medicine**

The wedding will be an event of January 21.

### Engagement Announced

G. H. Hall of First street, South Connelville, announces the engagement of Miss Hazel Pritts of Indian Head to Arthur H. Hall, his son. No date has been set for the wedding, which will take place the latter part of January. Miss Pritts is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Pritts.

### Leap Year Dances

The C. A. R. D. Club will hold a leap year dance Tuesday night in the Kiwanis Club rooms for members and friends of the club only. The dance will mark the closing of the leap year. The hours are from 8:30 to 12 o'clock. Kiefer's orchestra will play.

### New Year Party

Everything is in readiness for the benefit card and raffle party to be given on New Year afternoon at 2 o'clock in Kiwanis Club, Carnegie Free Library, by Philip Freeman Chapter, Daughters of American Revolution. Proceeds are for benefit of Americanization and educational work.—Advertisement.—29dec-12.

### Call Again

A young law student applied for a position in a law office and asked what the pay would be.  
 "You get nothing for the first six months, but after that you get \$1,000 per annum."  
 "Very well, I'll come back in six months' time!"

### No Use

Mrs. X—Why have you never sued any of your divorced husbands for alimony?  
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Classified Advertisements. When used in The Courier bring results. Try them. One cent a word.

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### Clean Child's Bowels

"California Fig Syrup" is Dependable Laxative for Sick Children



Happy Mother! Even a fretful, feverish, bilious or constipated child, loves the pleasant taste of "California Fig Syrup" and I never fail to sweeten the stomach and open the bowels. A teaspoonful today may prevent a sick child tomorrow. It doesn't cramp or overact. Contains no narcotics or soothing drugs. Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions on babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.—Avertisment

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## START A NEST EGG NOW



### Are You Spending All You Earn?

How much would you have now if you had joined a Christmas Club last year?

Did \$1.00 or \$2.00 weekly evaporate? Can you figure any week that you could not have put aside a dollar or more and how much you would have if you had done so for the past few years?

Have you plenty for this Christmas? Will you have plenty for Christmas one year hence?

Ask yourself these questions and then study how you can join our Christmas Club and how easy it will be to have a substantial sum for your needs next Christmas.

### JOIN TODAY

The following table explains the plan fully:

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| 25c Club Deposit 25c each week—In 50 weeks you have \$ 12.50      |
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| \$1 Club Deposit \$1 each week—In 50 weeks you have 50.00         |
| \$2 Club Deposit \$2 each week—In 50 weeks you have 100.00        |
| \$5 Club Deposit \$5 each week—In 50 weeks you have 250.00        |
| \$10 Club Deposit \$10 each week—In 50 weeks you have 500.00      |
| \$20 Club Deposit \$20 each week—In 50 weeks you have 1,000.00    |
| \$50 Club Deposit \$50 each week—In 50 weeks you have 2,500.00    |
| \$100 Club Deposit \$100 each week, in 50 weeks you have 5,000.00 |

Each Club Bears Interest.

We cordially invite you to come in and join

## Union National Bank

West Crawford Avenue

### "Hen" Opperman Shows How It Can Be Done

"Hen" Opperman of the Auto Service Company gave C. A. Wagner, a demonstration of the meaning of the word service on Friday evening. The latter was returning to Connelville from his country home at Guard, Md. His battery went dead on the other side of the Summit and he was towed to the top. He coasted to Hopwood and then telephoned for a tow battery.

He loaded up his car not a "henry"—and within half an hour after he had made the call Mr. Wagner was on his way home.

### HOLIDAY MONEY

Let It Grow Till You Can Buy the Thing You Want.

Perhaps you get money at Christmas but not enough to buy just what you want. Why not put it in a Savings Account with the First National at Connelville and add to it from time to time until you have the sum you need? Compound interest will help a lot and you needn't even go to the bank to deposit small change. The First National has automatic receiving tellers at convenient places all over town where you can make deposits and get a receipt on the spot.—Advertisement.—29dec-31wed.

### Juniors Here on Friday

It was announced this morning in Uniontown that the Junior Fraternity and Juniors of Uniontown would play basketball at the Connelville State Armory Friday evening. The game will be at 8 o'clock.

Classified Advertisements. Cost 1 cent a word. Results follow.

## "The Daily Courier"

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**MEN'S  
LISLE HOSE**In black, cordovan,  
navy, grey and white,  
50c values, special**33c****MEN'S SILK  
LISLE HOSE**In black, cordovan,  
navy, grey and white,  
also wool sport hose,  
75c values, special**50c****W. N. LECHE CO.**

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We Give 25c Green Trading Stamps

**Ladies' Ribbed  
SPORT HOSE**Black and all colors,  
real 59c values—special**39c****Ladies' Boxed  
Handkerchiefs**Beautiful Xmas line  
now on display. Three  
Handkerchiefs to the  
box, special**39c****SPECIAL REDUCTIONS on All Left-Over Xmas Goods and Toys**  
— Also —**An Opportunity for Real Savings on Staple Standard Merchandise**  
**A Four Day Whirlwind Clean-up**  
**Saturday, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Dec. 27 to 31, inc.**All Cut Glass - - - 1/4 Off  
Boxed Handkerchiefs - - - 1/4 Off  
Fancy Boudoir Caps - - - 1/4 Off  
75c Fancy Turkish Towels - - 59c  
\$4.50 Heavy Bed Comforts - - \$3.95  
\$2.98 Heavy Bed Comforts - - \$2.50**All Ivory Toilet Sets - Half-Price**Separate Ivory Pieces - - 1/3 Off  
Collar and Cuff Sets - - 1/4 Off  
\$1.00 Fancy Turkish Towels - - 75c  
Special Lot Fancy Turkish Towels 35c  
Sport Underwear - - 1/3 Off  
Linen Napkins - - 1/4 Off\$2.50 Fancy Turkish Towel Sets \$1.29  
Fancy Glassware - - - 1/4 Off  
All Dinnerware - - - 1/4 Off  
Bath Robes and Kimonos - - 1/4 Off  
\$3.50 Heavy Bed Comforts - - \$2.95  
\$1.50 Fancy Flower Baskets - - 75c**Ladies' L. N. S. S. K.  
L. and L. N. S. Knee  
Length Silk and  
Wool Suits**  
Sizes 36 to 44.  
**\$1.50****Ladies' Union Suits**  
Bleached, high neck, long  
sleeve, low neck, short sleeve  
and low neck, no sleeve,  
**88c****Children's Black Pants  
and White Ribbed  
Vests and Pants**  
This is an excellent quality,  
all sizes, 2 to 12 years,  
**39c****E. Z. Waist Unionsuits**  
For children, all sizes, 2  
to 12 years, special at  
**98c****Ladies' Bleached  
Vests and Pants**  
H. N. L. S. and L. N. S. S.  
vests, and ankle length draw-  
ers,  
**59c****Sleeping Garments**  
For children, in grey knit  
fleece. Very special, 98c  
at  
**59c****Infants' Wrappers**  
In Ruben style, or button  
fronts, 39c values,  
**29c****Children's Muslin  
Waists**  
All sizes, 2 to 12 years;  
50c values, "Little Wonder"  
style, special at  
**39c****Ladies' Gauze Vests**  
Very special; either tubu-  
lar top, crocheted top or bodice.  
Our regular 25c and 29c  
line. Special inducement  
at  
**19c****Ladies' Gauze Unions**  
Tubular tops, shell knees.  
Regular 50c line. Special  
Friday and Saturday  
**39c****Burson Hose and  
Heather Sport Hose**  
For ladies. Special 50c  
values, sale price  
**29c****Ladies' Silk and Wool  
Hose**  
In black and all colors,  
**\$1.00****Sport Hose**  
Ladies' mercerized ribbed  
sport hose in all the popular  
shades, special 75c values,  
**59c****Silk and Wool Hose**  
Ladies' silk and wool hose  
in plain and striped styles,  
**\$1.50****Infants' Buster Brown  
White Silk and Wool  
Hose**  
Sizes 4 to 6 1/2  
**50c****Ladies' Silk Hose**  
Here is an excellent silk  
and fibre stocking in black  
and all the good leading col-  
ors,  
**\$1.00****Numaid Silk Hose**  
This is an exceptional val-  
ue in ladies' full fashioned  
stockings, \$2.50 values,  
**\$1.55****Boys' Heavy Ribbed  
Buster Brown Hose**  
35c values,  
**21c****Boys' Union Suits**  
Grey, heavy fleeced lined,  
sizes 2 to 6 years, only  
**69c****Buster Brown Hose**  
Fine ribbed, in black  
white and cordovan. A real  
35c number. Our regular  
price is 25c, special at  
**19c****Pepperell Sheets**  
Full size, 81x90 inches,  
first quality, special  
**\$1.39****Mercerized Hose**  
In Buster Brown  
In black, white and cor-  
dovan—our 45c and 50c val-  
ues, all sizes, 5 to 9 1/2, your  
choice,  
**29c****Quilt Cotton**  
Opens out 72x90 inches  
and a real value, special  
**59c****Comfort Cotton**  
Large heavy cotton, opens  
out 72x90 inches, for com-  
forts  
**68c****Outing Skirts**  
In light and dark outing,  
splendid values at 79c, now  
**59c****White Bed Spreads**  
This is our regular \$2.39  
spreads, slightly soiled, spe-  
cial at  
**\$1.39****Turkish Towels**  
Xmas line of fancy Turk-  
ish Towels, special 75c val-  
ues  
**49c****Sheetnigs**  
Your choice of bleached  
or unbleached 9/4 and 10/4  
sheetnigs, 79c to 95c values  
—Special at only  
**49c****Crib Blankets**  
In blue and pink. Esmond  
blankets, plain or scalloped,  
30x40 inches,  
**88c****Pillows**  
\$3.50 large size feather  
pillows,  
**\$2.69****Double Faced Tapestry  
and Terry Cloth**  
\$1.00 value, special  
**79c****Boudoir Caps**  
Very special — \$1.00 and  
\$1.50 beautiful Boudoir Caps  
**69c****Pepperell Pillow Cases**  
Guaranteed first quality,  
12x36 inches, 50c values,  
**3 for \$1****Pillow Cases**  
Excellent quality muslin,  
12x6 inches, 25c values,  
**6 for \$1****Pretty Cretonnes**  
A beautiful selection of  
regular 50c and 55c values,  
special at  
**4 yds. \$1****Dark Outings**  
Splendid selection of dark  
outing flannels, 27 inches  
wide, heavy quality  
**6 yds. \$1****Linen Toweling**  
Regular 25c unbleached  
all linen toweling, special  
**6 yds. \$1****Bleached Cantons**  
Full 27 inches wide and  
regular 25c values, special at  
**6 yds. \$1****Bleached Outings**  
Excellent quality and full  
27 inches wide, special  
**6 yds. \$1****All Linen, 29c Bleach-  
ed Toweling**  
**5 yds. \$1****Comfort Challie**  
An excellent assortment  
of patterns, 35c values, at  
**6 yds. \$1****Kimona Flannels**  
In light and dark colors,  
beautiful assortment, spe-  
cial  
**4 yds. \$1****Window Shades**  
75c Columbia Window  
Shades, special  
**2 for \$1****Hope Muslin**  
**6 yds. \$1****Cotton Blankets**  
Extra large, 72x84 ins.,  
double cotton blankets, our  
regular \$3.25 values,  
**\$2.95****Part Wool Blankets**  
In all colored plaids, reg-  
ular \$7.00 values, special at  
**\$5.69****All Wool Blankets**  
Special offering, \$12.50  
value, large size, 72x84, at  
**\$8.95****Muslin Gowns and  
Chemise**  
For women, with low neck  
and no sleeves, regular \$1.25  
values, special  
**88c****Ladies' \$1.00 Dark  
and Light Knit Skirts**  
**88c****Dresser Scarfs**  
Here is an exceptional of-  
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69c values, special  
**39c****R. & G. Corsets**  
Pink with elastic sides,  
\$3.50 and \$4.00 values, all  
sizes, Special at  
**\$1.75****Cotton Plaid Blankets**  
For a full-size bed, regu-  
lar \$1.50 value,  
**\$1.00****Ladies' Outing Gowns**  
"V" neck,  
**88c****Ladies' and Children's  
Middies**  
Sizes 6 to 20 years, \$1.25  
value, special at  
**88c****Scrim Curtains**  
Lace edge, 2 1/4 yds long  
regular \$1.25 value, special  
at  
**98c****Paisley Crepes**  
Beautiful for blouses, at a  
very special offering, \$1.25  
values at  
**95c****Messaline**  
In brown, open blue, roy-  
al blue, black and navy, also  
Cape de Chine in light and  
dark colors. \$1.29 value,  
special  
**\$1.00****Bungalow Aprons**  
In regular sizes, light and  
dark percales, \$1.25 values,  
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**79c****Bloomer Dresses**  
For children, all kinds and  
colors, regular \$1.25 values  
—special at  
**95c****Jerseys and Duvotine**  
Regular \$2.50 value, in  
royal blue, henna, heather,  
green, brown and black, spe-  
cial  
**\$1.69****Chenile Crepes**  
In open blue, rose, tan,  
brickdust and navy and grey  
—\$1.59 value, special  
**\$1.29****Men's Ribbed Unions**  
In ecru, ribbed, all sizes,  
winter weight, \$1.25 value,  
**75c****Worsted Unions**  
And cotton ribbed, for men  
—This is an exceptional val-  
ue in a part wool suit. Regu-  
lar \$1.75 value, special for  
two days,  
**\$1.49****Shirts and Drawers**  
For men, in ecru ribbed  
wool process and heavy  
fleece. Regular \$1.25 stock,  
special at  
**83c****Outing Shirts**  
For men, in grey, with  
collar attached. Regular  
\$1.25 line, special  
**69c****Men's Flannel Shirts**  
In navy blue, regular \$3.50  
value, special  
**\$1.59****Men's Work Shirts**  
In blue, Blue Bell cham-  
bry and blue chevrot, 98c  
value, special  
**75c****Men's Dress Shirts**  
Here is a beautiful line of  
men's dress shirts, all sizes  
14 to 17. Original price  
\$1.25, special at  
**88c****Men's Wool Hose**  
In black, navy, good heavy  
quality, 29c value. Special  
at  
**20c****Slipover Sweaters**  
For boys, in brown and  
buff, regular \$1.69 values,  
special  
**\$1.29****Wool Slipovers**  
For boys, black and orange  
and brown and buff, and  
maroon and black. Regu-  
lar \$2.69 values at  
**\$1.59****Wool Shirts and  
Drawers**  
In excellent quality, all  
sizes, \$4 to 46, regular \$1.75  
values,  
**\$1.50****Sateen Slips**  
For ladies, in black only;  
regular \$1.39 values, special  
**88c****Ratine**  
36 inches wide, grey, or-  
chid, orange, blue; 98c val-  
ues,  
**39c****36 Inch Serges**  
In navy, brown, green,  
open and black, very special  
at  
**49c****Cotton Blankets**  
Double cotton blankets,  
61x76 inches \$2.69 values,  
**\$1.69****OUR STANDING GUARANTEE—Satisfaction or Your Money Back, Goes with Every Sale Item**





## ABE MARTIN

## On Viewin' With Alarm



## DISTRUSTFUL OF THE FUTURE

Viewin' with alarm, an' deplorin', an' mournin', after th' joys o' life have departed don't count, an' we're givin' sick o' people who wonder an' worry about what our boys an' girls are comin' to, an' who knock ever' grown woman an' girl that takes up an' tries t' git a little diversion out o' life. "Things ain't what they used t' be," they say, an' thank th' good Lord they ain't. There wasn't nothin' t' do in th' "good, ole days," but kilt, or read Robinson Crusoe, or go t' a lecture, or play croquet or checkers, or freeze our noses off skatin'. Folks wuz jest as wild an' inclined t' devilry as they are today, but there wuz no cuttin'. Our own grandfaw has told us o' paintin' her cheeks with red poppermint drops, an' grandfaw had a barrel o' liquor in th' house when there wuz five good, open saloons down-town. "But folks

know how t' handle liquor an' didn't go t' excess," we're told. There wasn't nothin' t' git pickled over but an occasional circus, or a 4th o' July celebration. It's said that folks only get pickled when they're happy, an' if there was anything t' be happy about in th' "gran' ole days" we don't know what it wuz, 'cept when spring finally come. "You see how th' women are dressin' an' kickin' up th' shameless things," we often hear. Look at th' painted minatures o' th' celebrated ole days, look at th' arms an' shoulders an' things! Ike Moots had four sisters an' they all ran off before they wuz nineteen, an' they didn't smoke either. Th' other Bentley had five sons—two murderers, one burglar, one bigamist, a promoter, an' one who traveled fer a crayon portrait enlargin' house. None o' them ever took t' liquor, an' three o'

netism, need not be regarded with fear and should not be covered by evading or ignoring its false assertions.

Christian Science, recognizing sickness as a disorder of the mortal mind, demonstrates that only the truth of the divine mind or God can destroy this discordant sense of the mortal mind.

The action of the divine mind upon the human mind disabuses and deprives the human mind of the error that evil is real and that matter is intelligent. The action of the divine mind, in this way, disabuses and deprives the human mind of its false consciousness; and the human mind, being deprived of its false consciousness, is its consciousness of falsity—is healed.

Mortal existence, from any point of view, involves negativity. Let us remember that salvation, freedom from sin and sickness, must be a simple process. Hold yourself, your thought, in true relation to the divine mind or God. You will find, as a result of thus relating thought constantly to God, that you are gaining your freedom from downward tendencies, and coming into a larger concept of life and being.

## The Too-Perfect Woman

"Milliecent did not make life easy. She meant so damnably well, there are moments when it drives one to hysteria to find all one's buttons on, and all one's socks darned; I couldn't discover a vice in Milliecent, ever, in the linen cupboard. Milliecent was a woman who lived in fetters, she had reduced her life and mind to a sort of switchboard so ingeniously organized that one only had to press buttons to get perfect life; food with enough protein in it, dinner-parties where the couples properly sorted, donations to hospitals that would eventually lead me to knighthood."—From "The Triumph of Galileo" by W. L. George.

## "Over the Hill"

Hub—That car of yours will lead me in the porthouse.  
Wife—Well, it's a good hill climber, if that's what you mean, dear.

To Cure a Cold in One Day



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## OTHER NEWS OF THE DAY

Special to The Courier.  
MOUNT PLEASANT, Dec. 29.—The baby clinic of Miss Anna Haslund was entertained at a party at the armory Saturday afternoon. One hundred twenty-five children and mothers were present. Miss Haslund, the community nurse, conducts a baby clinic in the Red Cross rooms on each Wednesday. At present 72 babies are registered.

There was a tree at one end of the armory floor and around the tree were toys, one to be given to each child present. For those who were not present and who come to the clinic, Miss Haslund will see that the toys are delivered.

Games were played, in charge of Miss Viola Stevenson and Miss Anna Gully. The committee in charge of the party was made up of Mrs. M. W. Horner, Mrs. William Haskins, Mrs. John D. Hitchman, Mrs. J. R. Madden and Miss Anna Gully.

Refreshments were served. The afternoon to the baby clinic children was made possible by the Citizens Savings & Trust Company and the Peoples National Bank, which financed the entertainment.

Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon for Miss Charlotte Shively at the North Diamond street home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Shively. Interment was made in Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Stevenson, Harry Shupe and daughter, Matilda Jean, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Graham on Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. Graham are son-in-law and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson.

Miss Ladybird Sline of Ohio spent yesterday here visiting with old friends. Miss Sline was a former resident of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hopwood spent the past few days with Mrs. Boyer, Mrs. Hopwood's mother, at Joppatown.

Mr. and Mrs. Meri Roberts of New Kensington spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fiddler.

Miss Margaret Fount of New Kensington spent the week-end with friends here.

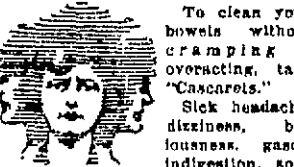
Mrs. G. S. Bryce spent Saturday in Pittsburgh.

## Perryopolis

PERRYOPOLIS, Dec. 27.—Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Townsend have returned to their home at Meadville after spending Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Townsend.

Mrs. William Armstrong is spending the day with Mrs. George Johnston at Conneville.

## "Cascarets" 10c if Dizzy, Bilious, Constipated



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Sick headache, dizziness, gas, biliousness, constipation, sour upset stomach and all such distress gone by morning. Nice laxative and cathartic on earth for grown-ups and children. 10c, 25c and 50c boxes—any drugstore.—Advertisement.

## Christian Science

Appeal Discussed by Lecturer at Soisson

Speaking at the Soisson Theatre Sunday afternoon on "Christian Science; Its Reasonable Appeal," William W. Porter of New York, member of the board of lecturership of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, said in substance:

Mary Baker Eddy is the discoverer and founder of Christian Science, and the author of its textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures"; and it may not be apart from the just consideration of the subject to add that whatever is known today concerning this science, or whatever may be known hereafter concerning Christian Science, is due to this discoverer.

Mrs. Eddy did not gain her knowledge of Christian Science from or through any material system of healing. It was only when she turned her thought away from matter and directed it unreservedly to the divine mind or God that her remarkable healing occurred, the healing which was the discovery of Christian Science and which raised her from a bed of sickness to full and complete health and womanhood.

The question may be asked: Does Christian Science ever fail? No true science can ever fail. One may fail to understand the science of numbers, or fail properly to apply this science in working out a mathematical problem. No person will assume, however, for a moment that because there has been a failure to understand or properly to apply this science of numbers the science of mathematics has failed.

Christian Science naturally lays strong emphasis upon the necessity for gaining a true understanding of God. On Page 7 of the preface to "Science and Health" Mrs. Eddy writes these significant words: "Ignorance of God is no longer the scapularious to faith. The only guarantee of obedience is a right apprehension of Him whom to know aright is life eternal."

One sometimes hears the question asked, "What is meant in Christian Science by the term, animal magnetism?" This is a descriptive term which is sometimes used in connection with animal magnetism is "without form and void."

Christian Science teaches that this belief in the power and activity of evil, or animal mag-

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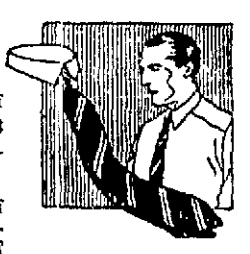
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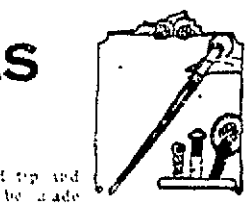


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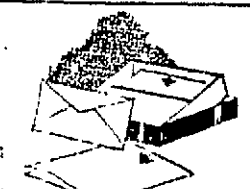
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## CHRISTIAN CHURCH, VANDERBILT, NAMES CORPS OFFICERS

I. Glenn Carpenter Accepts Call to Serve Ensuing Year at Sunday Meeting.

### OTHER NEWS OF THE DAY

Special to The Courier.  
VANDERBILT, Dec. 29.—The regular annual meeting of the members of the Christian Church in the auditorium yesterday following morning worship, officers were elected as follows:

Elders, Ewing Galley, Wesley Goo, Byron Cunningham and U. G. Blair.  
Deacons, Burt Newmyer, Walter Reed, R. E. Goo, Robert Lint, Clyde Jenner, Robert Baker and J. P. Shalenger.  
Deaconesses, Mrs. Wesley Goo, Mrs. Clyde Jenner, Mrs. George Blumberg, Mrs. Kate Pratt and Mrs. U. G. Blair.  
Chorister, John Pratt.  
Planist, Mrs. Walter Reed.  
Assistant planist, Miss Anne Ringer.

The Sunday school of the church elected its staff at the same time. Below is the list of officers named: Superintendent for the home department and cradle roll will be named by the superintendent of the school. The officers elected:

Superintendent, Burt Newmyer.  
Assistant superintendent, A. S. Blair.

Secretary, Katherine Shallenbaker.  
Treasurer, John Pratt.  
Planist, Miss Anne Mildred Ringer.  
Assistant planist, Miss Lucy Colborn.

The minister, I. Glenn Carpenter, was called by the congregation to serve as pastor for the ensuing year with a substantial increase in salary. The minister accepted, with the stipulation that he be permitted to resign in the event that he should desire to continue his work in some university and predicted that the end of the year would see all obligations met. He recounted the work of the church during the past year, showing how the funds of the church had been used.

#### Horwath Returns.

Peter H. Horwath returned to Bradstock last evening after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Horwath. He announced that he will return January 10 to get two days' training in the ship at Slavic Hall, West Side, Connelville, in acquainting himself with the fighting hull.

#### Devotion Charged.

Douglas Blakes of Republic filed a charge of desertion and non-support against her husband, Earl Blakes, who she alleges left her about six weeks ago without making provision for the support of their three children, the oldest of whom is four years and the youngest one month. The charges were preferred before Justice of the Peace C. B. Arison.

#### Watch Night Program.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Christian Church will be host at a "watch night" program at the church Wednesday evening following the regular prayer service. The entertainment is scheduled to begin at 8 o'clock and will continue until the new year is ushered in. A good program is being prepared by the young people. All are invited to attend and

refreshments will be served.

#### Auxiliary Dance.

All are looking forward to the card party and round and square dance to be held by the Ladies' Auxiliary to the American Legion Thursday evening, January 1 in Junior Hall. The ladies expect to make this one of the leading social functions in the Young Valley.

#### Bowling Tonight.

The Dickerson Run duckpin crew of the Inter-city Bowling League will be the attraction with the local bowlers in the Cavalcade Recreation Parlors tonight at 8 o'clock.

#### Juniors to Meet.

The Junior Order of United American Mechanics will meet tonight at 7:30 o'clock in Junior Hall for the regular weekly business session.

#### Odd Fellows Session.

The weekly business meeting of Odd Fellows will be held tomorrow night in Junior Hall.

#### C. E. to Elect.

The young people of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Christian Church will meet in the church auditorium tomorrow evening to elect officers for the ensuing year. The meeting is scheduled for 7:30 o'clock. Following the meeting of the society there will be a rehearsal by the Sunday school orchestra which will render several numbers at the watch night program.

#### Personals.

Mrs. Harry Adels of Union street, who recently underwent an operation at Cleveland, is decidedly improved. Steve Vroble of Pittsburgh street was a caller in Connelville Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert White of Greensburg spent the week-end visiting at the home of Mrs. White's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Marston of Union street.

Ralph Cavalcade of Walnut street spent last evening visiting with friends in Uniontown.

Andrew and Harry Hovance of Adelphi were visiting at the home of Steve Vroble and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Podanko in Pittsburgh street over the week-end.

Mrs. Robert Adels of Walnut street was among the local callers in Connelville Saturday evening. Albert Full of Scituate spent the week-end visiting with friends and relatives here.

Blaine Newell was a caller in Uniontown Saturday evening.

Donald "Dick" of The Heights was a Connelville caller Saturday.

Miss Mary Metcalfe of Pittsburgh spent the week-end with friends and relatives here.

John Duboy was among the local callers in Connelville Saturday evening.

Peter H. Horwath spent Saturday in Connelville transacting business. Miss Marie Lint was a Connelville caller Saturday evening.

O. E. Sayer, Peter C. Abate, Medley Johnson, Lewis Marston, Harry Hager, James Cavalcade, James Baker, John Roush and Albert Sepkovic were among the Connelville callers Saturday evening.

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## ELECTRIC FARM TO BE A VERITABLE SHOW OF ITSELF

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### IN PRACTICAL OPERATION

HARRISBURG, Dec. 29.—The committee in charge of equipping the J. O. A. Kuthof farmstead, near Harrisburg, for the Electric Farm exhibition, being arranged for the benefit of State Farm Products Show visitors, January 19-23, announced today the list of appliances which will be placed on the farm.

A laundry, kitchen, dining room, living room and bathroom will be wired and lighted. The laundry will have a washing machine and wringer, a centrifugal clothes dryer, small and large hand iron, mangle iron, an electric pump, and a clothes press. In addition to lighting the kitchen, there will be an electric mixer, electric dish washer, meat grinder, cake mixer, ventilating fan, desk fan, electric refrigerator, butter and grinder, apple peeler, vacuum cleaner, electric tea cream freezer, and an electric kitchen table equipped with mixers, heaters, etc.

The dining room will sparkle with electrical devices. An electric toaster, percolator, tea samovar, table stove, waffle iron, desk fan, egg cooker and electric crumb brush and cleaner will be on display.

The living room will have a complete radio receiving set with loud speaker, an ornamental electric fountain, electric heating logs, portable sewing machine with electric sewing light, electric thermostat for controlling temperature in house, electric phonograph and an electric reproducing piano.

In the bedroom there will be a heating pad, fan, heater and bed and dresser lamps, and in the bathroom an electric heater, immersion heater, electrically heated hair-drying blowers, electric hair drying comb, electric vibrator and an electric razor.

The barn, sheds, poultry house and workshop will be just as completely electrified as the house. About the farm, there will be on display, a wood splitter, power wood saw, threshing machine, portable chaff motor, electric floor cleaning machine, clipping machine, grooming machine, ventilating fans, corn sheller, crusher, feed grinder, combination mill, fan, grain mill, potato grinder, hay baler, drop well jump jack, electric alarm siren, engine cutter and blower, huller, fodder shredder, and a temperature indicator to place in mow of hay to eliminate danger of spontaneous combustion.

The poultry house will have everything electrified except the chickens. The equipment includes an electric incubator and brooder, electric egg candler, grain cracker, oyster shell grinder, time switch to regulate artificial lighting, and an electrically heated poultry waterer.

The dairy will be the scene of more electrical activity. A milking machine, chine, cream separator, milk classifier, electric refrigerator with quick milk cooling attachment, churn and butter worker and bottle washer will feature the equipment here.

Last but not least is the workshop where it will be shown that electricity can aid the farmer the same as in the house and barn. Here the soldering iron, grind stone, drill press, electric hand drill, electric force, electric bench grinder, portable flood lamp for emergency or night work, centrifugal fire pump with hose, chemical fire extinguisher and battery-less electric hand lamp, will be seen.

Representatives of the Giant Power Survey, State Department of Agriculture, Pennsylvania State Grange, Pennsylvania State College, State Council of Agricultural Associations and the Pennsylvania Electric Association including electrical manufacturers and dealers, make up the committee which is sponsoring the electrification of the farm.

The committee explains that it is not supposed that any farmer will find it practical to have all the electrical appliances on his farm. The farm is being electrified to show in an impressive way the possibilities of electricity. To make the exhibit as complete as possible, all sorts of devices, some so recently developed, that they have never been shown to the public before, will be displayed. All the equipment to be exhibited is being donated by manufacturers and dealers.

Every appliance will be shown in its proper place on the farm and specialists will be present to explain various features and to answer questions. C. K. Stelmets, manager of the exhibition, states, "The farm will be open to the public from January 14 to 21, and special effort will be made to take care of all interested farm products show visitors during the week of January 19."

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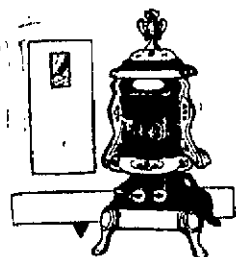
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## Dr. H. J. Schmoker

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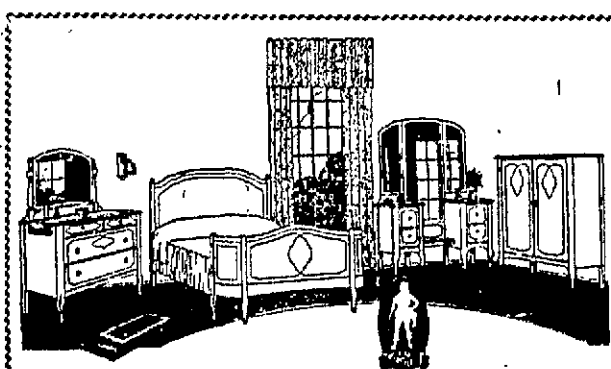


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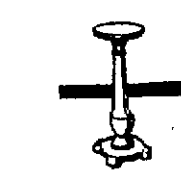
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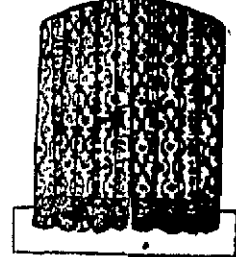
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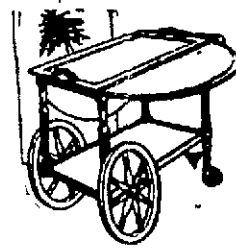
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## CHRISTMAS PROGRAMS AT SCOTTTDALE

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### TREAT FOR THE CHILDREN

Special to The Courier.

SCOTTTDALE, Dec. 29.—The Christmas play, "Why the Chimes Rang Out," was presented at the Reformed Church last evening under the direction of Miss Jane Frey. The following is the cast of characters: Holger, the choir, Mary Hamby, Kathleen Hill, Kathryn Stoner, Leora Stoner, Ruth Stoner, Ora Lee Newbrough, Paul Horsch, Richard Miller and Donald Ruth. Miss Edith Warden was the organist.

At St. Paul's Lutheran Church last evening the Christmas entertainment, a pageant entitled "The Path of Promise," was given, with the following cast: Angel of promise, Elizabeth Keener; Abraham, John Kristichau, Jr.; Jacob, W. J. Walther; Judah, Walter McManus; David, Paul Walther; Ruth, Elizabeth Hentz; Bethlehem, Ruth Longisty; shepherds, Walter Bonta, Dickie Walker, Edward Murray and George Moon; wise men, H. D. Stuegh, H. Biner and C. L. Heiter; Mary, Mrs. Walter McManus. The pageant was interspersed with songs under the direction of Mrs. Dan Baker. Miss Betty Walther was the pianist.

#### Tree Service Held.

Despite the very cold weather the community Christmas tree service which had been postponed from Christmas night, was held at Loucks Park yesterday afternoon by the members of the Legion Auxiliary and the Legion. The Scottsdale Military Band furnished the music. There was carol singing under the leadership of Robert Barkell. The candles that was to have been distributed Christmas night was given out by Mrs. Fred M. Lowellyn, president of the auxiliary.

Watch Night Service. Watch night services will be held at the Methodist Episcopal Church on Wednesday evening. There will be a program and music.

Willam Pyle on Visit. Willam Pyle of Sharon spent the past few days at his home here.

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## Influence of Politics On Business in 1924



### DAVID LAWRENCE

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### Confluence

CONFLUENCE, Dec. 27.—Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cook of Meyersdale were recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. William Helber.

Rev. J. J. Ramsey of Pittsburgh who with his wife was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Younkin, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Koffer have returned from a visit with friends at Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Connolly who were called here on account of the death of the latter's father, G. H. McDonald, have returned to their home in Berby, Conn.

Mrs. James Butler of Connelville was here Saturday enroute to Sunbury to visit friends.

N. B. Sanner of Markleton was a week-end business visitor here last week.

Rev. William Graetz went to Fort Hill Saturday and held services in the church there Sunday.

Watch the Old Year Out and the New Year In at the American Legion New Years Eve

## Novelty Dance

State Armory, Connelville, Pa.

Wednesday Dec. 31st.

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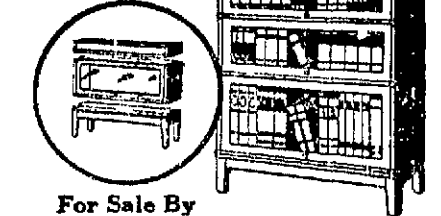
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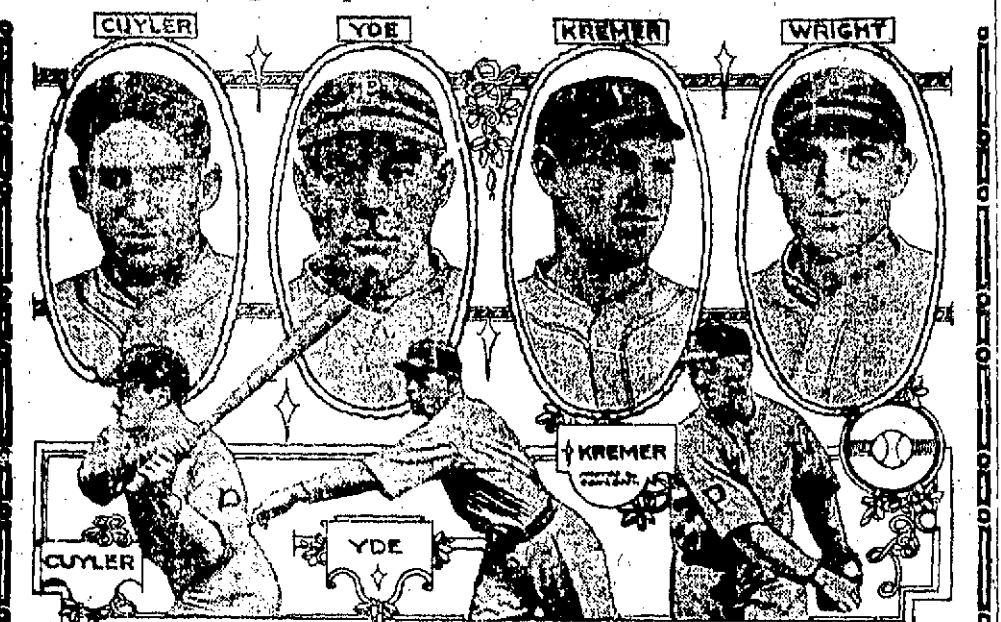






# The Sporting World

Great Things Expected of Four Sensational Rookies



It is to be doubted if any rookie ever made as favorable an impression as Cuyler, Kremer, Yde and Wright, the four rookies secured for Pittsburgh this year, ever broke into major company at the same time with the same club. And probably not for a decade have four such rookies entered the big leagues at the same time. This bid for fame by these four players is predicted upon only their first year. They have played a season's test, and their wonderful work lifted Pittsburgh to a pennant contender within one game of the top as the last month of the season began. But one year's grand work is not enough upon which to build a great or lasting baseball record.

**Many Stars Flash.**  
Many young pitchers have flashed for a year and then been forgotten. Many young batters have shown major pitching for a season only to falter in their second year. Notable among recent examples being Genevieve, the young Boston pitcher and Traynor, last year's Pirate star at the bat. Traynor is coming back, however.

And yet, upon their first year's showing, the playing of this Pittsburgh four stands out as a notable page in big league history. Here are four first-year men who actually eclipsed the work of the veteran stars of the Pittsburgh team. Cooper, Morrison, Grimm, Carey, Macaville and Tray-

nor were the peasant contending factors of last season. They are still playing grand ball, but the sensational offensive and defensive play of these four rookies overshadows their endeavor.

**Four Great Rookies.**  
When has any major club had four such rookies on its rolls at one time? Possibly not since the same Barry Dreyfuss brought Waddell, Clarke, Wagner and Leach up to the National with him from Louisville a quarter of a century ago.

The first year's record of these Pittsburgh rookies brings back memories of the immortal quartettes of other days. The old St. Louis Browns of 1887, pennant winners, had Comiskey and Latham, infielders, and Corcoran and Bushong, battery, all youngsters then, but did they break in at the same time?

**Giants Break In Together.**  
When McGraw's Giants won the pennant in 1903, Mutt, Brown, Merrett and Devlin were in their first bloom. How closely together did these four famous rookies break in?

And there were Chance, Finkler, Myers and Miller Brown of the Chicago champs. They came from the lot of O'P Mother Bush at about the same time if not the same year. Oh, yes, and there was the Orioles quartette, then when some say a greater number of rookies in baseball—Jennings, McCall, Robinson and

Kremer. Those kids came to the major circuit within a year or two of each other.  
The Phillies had a famous four, Delahanty, Lafitte, Flick and Donohue, the latter a wonder pitcher of his day. Were they rookies of the same year?

And Boston had a pennant-winning four in Ruth, Scott, Duffy Lewis and Mays back about 1914. They came in close together if not at the same time.

**Started Without Music.**  
While the Pittsburgh four, Kremer, Yde, Cuyler and Wright, have their fame yet to carve on the baseball granite that crumbles not away, yet you have to give it to them—not one of the great quartettes named above did better than these inter-day four their first big league season. Each one of these Pirate kids started without any brass band or sensational play.

Just steady, effective, dependable work. Each one got a little better, week by week of the season. No fireworks. They just climbed steadily. No slumps. They developed slowly but held what they gained. Through-out August, the month of the torrid as well as the mid test, they pitched and batted and fiddled at their best, and this "boom" was a pennant stride in speed at the least. Will these four first-year rookies break the baseball records of all time and bring a pennant to Pittsburgh next season?

St. Louis, care The Courier.

## High School to Play Three Games This Week, Prior to Opening of Regular Season

Meyersdale Will Be First, Northumberland Next and Perry Township Last.

GRID BANQUET JAN. 6

High School has three basketball games to play this week. In order to be ready for the opening of the W. P. A. League season the players will continue to engage in the pre-season clashes. Practice started Saturday and will continue this week.

The first game will fall on Wednesday evening when Meyersdale High School will be here. Then on Thursday evening Northumberland High School will be the attraction and on Saturday night Perry Township High School.

Couch Settle will have his squad buckle down to the hardest kind of work. He is as enthusiastic as the boys and with nearly every position on the team still open there is an opportunity for any student who can show the ability.

## MEMBERS OF FOOTBALL TEAM WILL BE GUESTS AT DINNER FOR SQUAD

The annual football dinner for members of the 1924 squad of the Connelville High School will be held Tuesday evening, January 6. Arrangements are now being made for the affair.

The banquet was delayed this year because of basketball games falling in all available nights. On Tuesday, January 6, however, the dinner will be held.

Every member of the team, including regulars and all substitutes who remained on duty until the end of the schedule, will be guests.

## Five Horsemen, Casey Clubs in Practice Tuesday

The Trotter Five Horsemen and the fast Casey Club will battle Tuesday evening in a practice game at Trotter. All members of the latter contingent are asked to be at Trotter, corner at 7:30 o'clock. The game will be played in Frick Auditorium. The Caseys open on New Year night at Galatin Gardens. It will be the second time the Casey team has come into action.

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## Casey Club Will Open Season on Uniontown Floor

The Casey Club will play its first game in the County Basketball League this week, opening the season at Uniontown. The Casey team has been quietly preparing to meet the best in the league and its initial game is being watched with interest, not only by Casey supporters but by followers of every other combination in the league. The game will be played Thursday night.

Once the Caseys got started interest in this city will be at full height. The Unity Fraternity has already demonstrated its ability to cope with the best. The defeat of the Legion a week ago was not such an accomplishment in itself, but the big margin by which it was done illustrates the scoring power of the machine.

The "big" game of the league, insofar as Connelville is concerned, will be played here on Wednesday, January 7. At that time the Casey Club and Unity Fraternity will clash. It will bring together these two local rivals and will be the first game to determine the championship of the north end of the county. On that night it is expected the Army will be crowded with fans.

**Sports Notes.**  
The Unity Fraternity basketball team is willing to meet any outfit away from home. The team has practically all home engagements taken but still can make room for some away. The Frat presents a first-class attraction this year, all men nearly untrained. For games write James

The only students of the Connelville schools who are going back before the end of the holidays are the basketball players. And that is a pleasure for them. The team members are reporting for workouts or games all this week.

The announcement of the football dinner is good news to members of the squad. "Nasty" Stillwagon and "Slugg" Connelville are already making preparations to stage a marathoning contest. No one is eliminated but it is believed the race will tip down to those two at the end.

The Casey Club will meet the Juniors at Uniontown on Thursday, January 1, according to the present schedule. The locals intend to start the year and season right by copying a victory.

Another Thursday night game in the league will be at Point Marion. At that place the Pay-Mors will meet the Point Marion quintet. While many believe the cream of the league is in those two line-ups it remains to be seen.

Dunbar Township will soon be in action and with several weeks of practice behind it this fair to be a factor in the county scholastic league.

The Uniontown High School had a difficult time defeating the alumni in a game at the Galatin Gardens Saturday afternoon. The score was 35-30. The Alumni had everything to win and nothing to lose. Going into the clash with this mental attitude the fact that the Maroon and White club had a big string of victories behind it did not mean a thing. The margin of victory and the last minute was one point. With the 89 seconds to go the Varsity hung up two double-pointers.

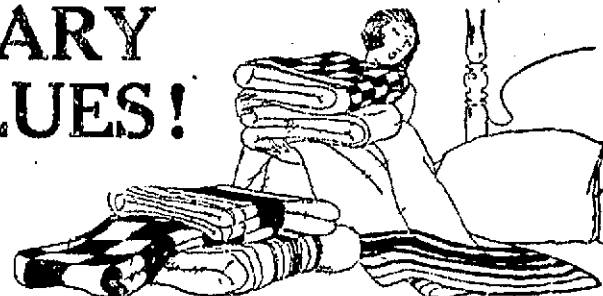
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## HOMELESS MEN MARCH ON CHURCH



Driven by the intense cold to seek shelter, 300 homeless dwellers in New York, led by Urban League, known also, paradoxically, as "Zoo", because of his and in behalf of the unfortunate, marched up and obtained permission to use the Camp Memorial Church as sleeping quarters. "Mr. Zoo" is solving the question of food also, insofar as the limited resources of his little house's retreat, "The Pub," enable him to do so. He has appealed to the authorities for aid of the thinly-clad and hungry throng.

## FRANCE MAKING NO MOVE TO PAY WAR DEBT TO U. S.

(Continued from Page One.)  
The contention is being repeatedly made by France that owing to the large sacrifices she made of blood as well as treasure she should not be expected to pay anything like the terms America wants. Indeed, the French have never counted the debt to America as a part of their budget of expenses and have made no provision either for interest or sinking fund. This has not created a very good impression in Congress. Also the international bankers, who are called upon to persuade the American investor from time to time to buy French government securities, are anxious to see the French placed in the best light possible. The Funding Commission naturally expected some concrete proposals from France but it has become apparent that the French ambassador only has the power to discuss and create a favorable sentiment, if possible, for a moratorium or easier terms than Great Britain secured.

The French viewpoint is that America was a belated participant in the war and that none of the allied and associated powers made the sacrifice that France did, hence the United States should make due all allowances. If America does, then the French would expect the British to

do likewise.  
The French are talking about having Secretary Mellon go to Europe after Congress adjourns in March so that they may explain to him first-hand why they can't pay very much. This suggestion is not making a bit just now for the usual custom is for the debtor to call on the creditor.

In France, however, there is an objection to sending a commission to America unless it can propose some sort of a settlement that will be acceptable. And the French themselves have not arrived at the stage where they consider it possible to make a tangible offer of settlement. So very little may be expected to come of the recent conversations unless the French government finds American public opinion growing more assertive than it has been in the past on the question of early payments.

### Confluence

Mr. and Mrs. John Weaver and daughter, Jean, who were called here on account of the death of Mrs. Weaver's father, G. R. McDonald, have returned to their home in Smithfield.

W. B. Conway of Rockwood was a recent visitor with friends in town. Adam McDonald of Acosta has returned home after being here attending the funeral of his brother, G. R. McDonald.

The following from Smithfield attended the funeral of G. R. McDonald here Friday: Mrs. Ernest Malone, Mrs. Edgar Sturgis, Mrs. John Younkin, Mrs. Robert Pile, Mrs. John Lowe.

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By EDWYNN